

**IN THE UNITED STATES  
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant: Brady et al.  
Docket No.: FE-00439  
Serial No.: 09/590,805  
Filing Date: June 9, 2000  
For: Increasing the Susceptibility of an Integrated Circuit  
to Ionizing Radiation  
Art Unit: 2811  
Examiner: Ori Nadav

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Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

**AMENDMENT AFTER DECISION OF THE APPEAL BOARD**

In response to the Decision mailed 11/25/2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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